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Group Art Unit: 1643

**For: METHODS OF DETECTING  
CANCER CELLS IN BIOLOGICAL  
SAMPLES**

Examiner: Duffy, Bradley

Attorney  
Docket: 26003

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

**Sir:**

- (1) This is a petition for an extension of time to respond to the Office Action mailed March 20, 2008 for a period of TWO (2) months.
- (2) Applicant is a:  
X small entity                  \_\_\_ verified statement attached  
                                             \_\_\_ verified statement filed
- (3)
- | Extensions<br>(months)                         | Fees for<br><u>small entity</u> | Fee for other than<br><u>small entity</u> |
|------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> one month             | \$ 60.00                        | \$ 120.00                                 |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> two months | \$ 230.00                       | \$ 460.00                                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> three months          | \$ 525.00                       | \$ 1050.00                                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> four months           | \$ 820.00                       | \$ 1640.00                                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> five months           | \$1115.00                       | \$ 2230.00                                |
- (4) An amendment X is filed herewith  
                                   \_\_\_ has been filed
- (5) Please charge the extension fee and any other amount required to Deposit Account No. 50-1407. A duplicate copy of this form is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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Date: August 12, 2008